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In re the Application of

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For: OPTICAL COMPONENT AND MANUFACTURING METHOD THEREOF,  
MICROLENS SUBSTRATE AND MANUFACTURING METHOD THEREOF,  
DISPLAY DEVICE, AND IMAGING DEVICE

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- ☒ 4. English-language Abstracts of the non-English language references are attached hereto. (Refs. 3-4)

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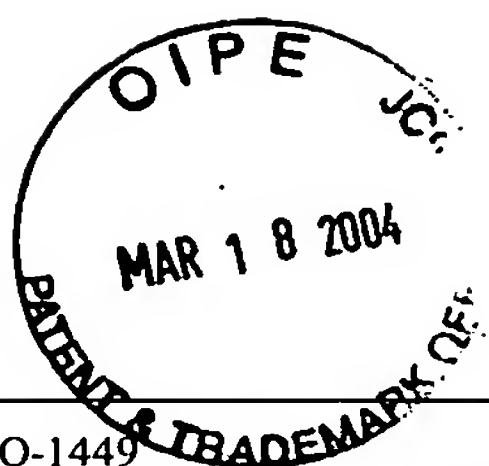
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